

KIDSNET Update



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KIDSNET facilitates the collection and appropriate sharing of health data with healthcare providers, parents, MCH programs and other child service providers for the provision of timely and appropriate preventive health and follow up.

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KIDSNET Welcomes: Bradley School and Smith Hill Learning Center

CDC Recommends Prevnar 13

On February 24, CDC's Advisory Committee on Immunization Practices (ACIP) voted to recommend replacing a 7-valent pneumococcal conjugate vaccine (PCV; Prevnar) with a 13-valent PCV (Prevnar 13), to prevent invasive disease caused by *Streptococcus pneumoniae* serotypes 1, 3, 4, 5, 6A, 6B, 7F, 9V, 14, 18C, 19A, 19F, and 23F. The vaccine is indicated for use in children ages 6 months through 5 years in a four-dose schedule at ages 2, 4, 6, and 12-15 months. A single supplemental dose of PCV 13 is recommended for all children aged 14--59 months who have completed their PCV7 series. For children who have underlying medical conditions, a single supplemental PCV13 dose is recommended through age 71 months. This includes children who have previously received the 23-valent pneumococcal polysaccharide vaccine (PPSV23). PCV13 should be given at least 8 weeks after the last dose of PCV7 or PPSV23.

The ACIP recommendations, MMWR: Licensure of a 13-Valent Pneumococcal Conjugate Vaccine (PCV13) and Recommendations for Use Among Children -- Advisory Committee on Immunization Practices (ACIP), 2010 (March 12, 2010 / 59(09); 258-261) can be found at:

www.cdc.gov/mmwr/preview/mmwrhtml/mm5909a2.htm

Codes for Reporting Prevnar13

The CPT code for Prevnar13 is 90670, the CVX code is 133, and the Manufacturer code is PFR. Please make sure that your electronic medical record reflects these codes.

Please note that the Manufacturer code for Wyeth-Ayerst (WAL) is no longer active. Wyeth is now part of Pfizer, Inc. and the manufacturer code for Pfizer is PFR.

HPV Vaccine for Male Use

In October 2009, the ACIP updated HPV vaccine guidelines to include "Permissive" use of quadrivalent human papillomavirus (HPV-Gardasil) vaccine for males 9 through 26 years of age. At this time, HEALTH is reviewing all options for offering the HPV vaccine for males and will be meeting with its Physician Vaccine Advisory Committee on March 19, 2010. A decision should be in place by late spring / early summer of 2010.

New KIDSNET Immunization Data Sheets

New KIDSNET Immunization Data Sheets will be distributed to practices that report immunizations on paper in April and May. The new sheets reflect the addition of the Prevnar 13 vaccine. Please make sure that staff are aware of this change and correctly mark whether they administer Prevnar 13 or Prevnar 7. If your practice administers Prevnar 13 before the new data sheets are available, please record the vaccine under "Other" with the CPT code 90670.

Two other changes were also made to the data sheet:

- 1) Rotateq was moved to the last column under "Other". Most practices no longer have a supply of this vaccine, and those that do should use it before ROTARIX. Make sure to correctly identify the brand of Rotavirus vaccine administered is correctly identified.
- 2) The label for CPT 90648 is now HIB PRP-T. This CPT code is used for both the ACTHIB and HIBERIX vaccines.

For more information about KIDSNET, please visit our web site at www.health.ri.gov/family/kidsnet.
Call the KIDSNET Help Desk at 401.222-5960 with any questions or suggestions.

KIDSNET Reports

Immunization Report

In February 2009, the following 36 pediatric practices ran the missing immunization report:

A To Z Primary Care, Allen Berry Health Center – PCHC, Atwood Pediatrics, Inc., Bayside Family Healthcare, Inc., Bristol County Pediatrics, Broadway Medical Treatment Center, Llc., Central Health Center – PCHC, Chad P. Nevola, MD, Charles J. Deangelis, MD, FAAP, Ltd., Cheryl Flynn, MD, Children First Pediatrics, Cumberland Pediatrics, Inc., East Bay Community Action Program, East Bay Family Health Care, East Bay Pediatrics and Adolescent Medicine, Family Medicine Specialists, Inc., Hillside Avenue Family and Community Medicine, Jennifer Salm, MD - Aquidneck (Newport), Jennifer Souther, MD, Lincoln Pediatric Associates, Northwest Health Center, Pediatric Associates, Inc., RI Healthcare Family Practice, Santiago Medical Group - North Providence, Spectrum Family Health, Inc., Sunshine Pediatrics, Thomas David Puleo, MD, Llc., Thundermist Health Center of South County, Thundermist Health Center of Woonsocket, University Medical Group – Cranston, Wakefield Pediatrics, Llc., Warren Family Practice Associates, Westerly Pediatrics, Wilcox Health Center – Warwick, Women's Care - Family Practice and Wood River Health Services

Lead Screening Report

In February 2009, the following 23 pediatric practices ran the report for children never screened for lead poisoning:

Allen Berry Health Center – PCHC, Bayside Family Healthcare, Inc., Broadway Medical Treatment Center, Llc., Chad P. Nevola, MD, Cheryl Flynn, MD, Cumberland Pediatrics, Inc., Douglas S. Foreman, DO, East Bay Pediatrics and Adolescent Medicine, Family Medicine Specialists, Inc., Jennifer Salm, MD - Aquidneck (Newport), Jennifer Souther, MD, North Providence Pediatrics, Northwest Health Center, Rhode Island Family Care, RI Healthcare Family Practice, Saint Joseph's Pediatric Clinic, Sunshine Pediatrics, Thundermist Health Center of Woonsocket, University Medical Group – Cranston, Usha Stokoe, MD, Warren Family Practice Associates, Wilcox Health Center – Warwick and Women's Care - Family Practice

Reporting Data Errors and Deletes to KIDSNET

Please report any errors that you identify in KIDSNET so that the information can be updated. Write the appropriate change or cross out any information that should be deleted on a copy of the KIDSNET screen containing the information. (Use the Printer Friendly feature on KIDSNET to obtain a copy of the screen.)

At this time, KIDSNET is not able to process deletes or changes from HL7 messages. Practices that send data from their electronic medical records using HL7 should follow the process described above for any data that needs to be deleted from KIDSNET. Please note that KIDSNET does not add duplicate vaccines that have the exact same CPT code and date of administration for a child.

Changes and new immunization data reported in recent months may not yet be reflected in KIDSNET. Like most doctors' offices, HEALTH focused its resources over the past several months on responding to H1N1. H1N1 data were updated and added to KIDSNET before other data. We are now focusing on adding/changing all other data previously submitted. Thank you for your patience as we make those changes.

Update Contact Information

KIDSNET uses the contact information provided by users to send important public health messages. Please make sure this information is current so that your practice may receive these messages.

All KIDSNET users:

- Click on the User Profile page (left menu).
- Review your email address and update if necessary.

Group Administrators:

- Click on the User Management page (left menu).
- Click on the User ID by the names of individuals in the group.
- Review and update email addresses and telephone numbers.
- Terminate any users who should no longer have access.

SSV Users (Only those in provider offices who have access to enrollment information):

- Click on "SSV Administrative Functions".
- Click on "Update Practice Information".
- Review and update all contact information on the Practice Demographics page.
- Also update email addresses on the Licensed Vaccine Providers page.

Contact Janet Limoges at 222-1026 if you need any assistance with making updates.